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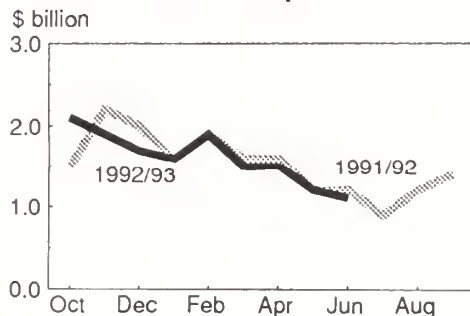


# U.S. Agricultural Trade Update

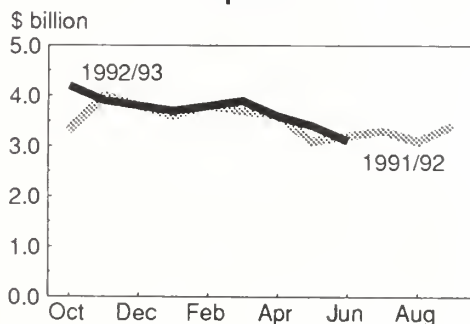
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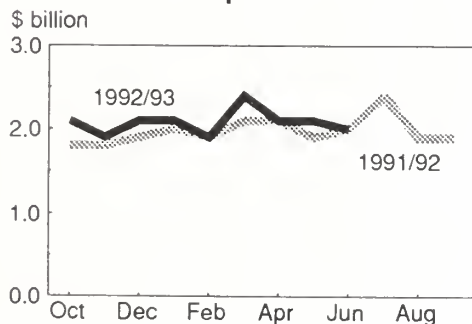
## Trade Surplus



## Exports



## Imports



**Trade Surplus Down** - The June agricultural surplus fell 12 percent to \$1.1 billion, as exports declined more than imports. The surplus was the smallest of the fiscal year, and 2 percent less than last June. The cumulative surplus for October 1992 to June 1993 totaled \$14.5 billion, almost the same as a year earlier (table 3).

**Exports Lower** - June exports fell to \$3.1 billion, 3 percent lower than a year ago. Grain shipments continued to decline, but a record \$204 million in beef exports, and higher tobacco exports of \$137 million offset some of the decline. Beef exports to Japan totaled \$135 million, also a record. Horticultural exports decreased 6 percent from May, but were 2 percent higher than last year, on stronger vegetable exports. Cumulative October-June exports were 2 percent higher than last year at \$33.3 billion.

**Wheat** exports fell to 2.3 million tons, but were still the largest June exports since 1988. Shipments declined to 308,000 tons to the former Soviet Union (FSU), 120,000 tons to Japan, and 119,000 tons to Algeria. Exports totaled 260,000 tons to China, 188,000 tons to Egypt, 137,000 tons to Korea, and 134,000 tons to Morocco. Exports for October-June were almost 27.7 million tons, 4 percent more than a year earlier.

**Corn** exports dropped to 2.8 million tons, down 25 percent from June 1992. Shipments to the FSU fell to 261,000 tons, accounting for much of the decline in corn exports. Exports to the FSU for the fiscal year through June were 27 percent below 1992. No corn was shipped to previously drought-stricken South Africa. Sales were up slightly to Japan at 1.1 million tons, and there were increases to Egypt at 199,000 tons, and Algeria at 150,000 tons. Corn exports for October-June totaled 33.4 million tons, 13 percent more than last year.

**Soybean** exports rebounded to 1.1 million tons in June. Shipments to Mexico of 390,000 tons were the largest of the year, and sales increased 30 percent to Japan at 309,000 tons. Exports fell to Taiwan and Korea, at 128,000 tons and 59,000 tons,

respectively. October-June soybean exports totaled 17.7 million tons, 13 percent above a year ago.

**Grain sorghum** exports totaled 125,000 tons, down 40 percent from last June. Exports were 61,000 tons to Mexico, 38,000 tons to Japan, and 24,000 tons to Israel. October-June exports were 5.6 million tons, 10 percent less than last year.

**Cotton** exports remained weak, dropping to 82,000 tons, 36 percent below last year, as shipments declined to most markets. Exports totaled 17,000 tons to Korea, 12,000 tons to Japan, and 11,000 tons to Mexico. Strong competition in world markets continued to dampen U.S. exports. Exports to China totaled only 160 tons through June of this fiscal year compared to 172,000 tons last year. October-June exports were 928,000 tons, 28 percent less than a year earlier.

**Imports Drop** - June imports fell to \$2 billion, 3 percent less than a year earlier. Beef and pork imports rose 4 percent from May, but were 10 percent lower than a year ago. June cattle imports rose to \$125 million. Fruit and vegetable shipments declined, but fruit juice and tree nuts gained. Grape juice imports were over 20 percent higher than last year. Unmanufactured tobacco imports were robust at \$144 million, and 36 percent higher than last year. Cocoa, rubber, and spices advanced. Imports for October-June totaled \$18.8 billion, 4 percent higher than last year. (Joel Greene, 202-219-0822)

**Fresh Vegetables Rebound** - Fresh vegetable imports for fiscal 1993 through June surpassed the previous year's total that had been reduced by poor weather in Mexico, and low potato prices slowing imports from Canada. Imports totaled 1.8 million tons valued at over \$1.1 billion, 35 percent greater than last year. Shipments of tomatoes, broccoli, cucumbers, and peppers from Mexico, and potatoes from Canada showed large gains (table 4). Fresh vegetable imports totaled \$856 million from Mexico, and \$135 million from Canada through June.

Table 1--U.S. agricultural exports: Quantity and value by commodity

Commodity and unit	October-June				June			
	Thousand Units		Thousand dollars		Thousand units		Thousand dollars	
	1991/92	1992/93	1991/92	1992/93	1992	1993	1992	1993
Total agricultural exports (NA)	--	--	32,700,057	33,344,603	--	--	3,233,547	3,147,076
Animals and animal products (NA)	--	--	5,754,665	5,924,548	--	--	645,402	671,475
Animals live - excl. poultry (NA)	--	--	458,619	292,780	--	--	33,085	23,359
Cattle and calves - live (NO)	293	133	174,188	95,868	34	12	20,144	11,998
Horses, mules, burros-live (NO)	61	50	228,295	145,903	6	5	7,197	5,925
Swine - live (NO)	147	52	15,650	10,358	8	2	1,280	571
Sheep and lambs (NO)	638	601	19,060	20,143	70	71	2,072	2,389
Other live animals (NA)	--	--	21,425	20,509	--	--	2,391	2,476
Meats & meat prods, ex poultry (MT)	815	877	2,373,729	2,509,300	91	117	277,690	330,710
Beef and veal (MT)	327	320	1,437,256	1,509,225	38	43	171,251	204,028
Beef & veal - fresh or frozen (MT)	319	309	1,406,178	1,471,222	37	42	167,823	199,838
Beef - prepared or preserved (MT)	8	10	31,079	38,003	1	1	3,428	4,190
Horsemeat-fresh, chill, frozen (MT)	34	28	102,402	84,959	3	3	10,197	9,654
Lamb, mutton, goat, f.c.f. (MT)	3	3	9,401	8,176	0	0	1,078	779
Pork (MT)	96	103	310,532	352,494	11	11	32,931	43,511
Pork - fresh or frozen (MT)	80	87	270,460	313,277	9	10	29,213	40,376
Pork - prepared or preserved (MT)	16	16	40,073	39,218	1	1	3,719	3,134
Variety meats, edible offals (MT)	237	269	421,212	439,161	27	34	52,294	54,490
Other meats - fresh or prep (MT)	117	154	92,925	115,284	12	25	9,939	18,248
Poultry and poultry products (NA)	--	--	895,645	955,955	--	--	98,424	102,994
Poultry - live (NA)	--	--	85,972	92,394	--	--	9,913	10,752
Baby chicks (NO)	32,749	36,659	68,865	76,482	3,762	5,014	7,818	9,286
Other live poultry (NA)	--	--	17,106	15,911	--	--	2,096	1,466
Poultry meats (MT)	586	703	684,161	743,684	65	72	76,219	79,428
Chicken - fresh or frozen (MT)	495	596	514,078	535,563	54	61	54,761	56,289
Turkeys - fresh or frozen (MT)	49	62	77,530	91,186	7	6	11,076	9,474
Other poultry - fresh or froz (MT)	12	8	12,033	11,478	1	1	1,632	987
Poultry meats - prep or pres (MT)	29	37	80,519	105,456	3	4	8,749	12,677
Feathers and downs, crude (MT)	2	2	18,733	12,824	0	0	1,609	1,246
Eggs and products (NA)	--	--	106,779	107,054	--	--	10,683	11,568
Dairy products (NA)	--	--	454,904	583,164	--	--	59,245	47,476
Evaporated & condensed milk (MT)	4	10	3,174	11,178	0	1	289	645
Nonfat dry milk (MT)	88	65	137,223	111,998	2	6	2,821	11,943
Butter & anhydrous milkfat (MT)	24	76	34,828	112,297	2	3	3,940	4,998
Cheese (MT)	11	12	32,613	40,656	1	1	3,440	4,246
Whey, fluid or dried (NA)	--	--	46,099	58,714	--	--	6,199	5,309
Other dairy products (NA)	--	--	200,967	248,320	--	--	42,556	20,335
Fats, oils, and greases (MT)	1,027	1,051	361,858	405,705	105	106	37,974	40,308
Lard (MT)	55	52	24,270	23,986	7	3	2,820	1,688
Tallow - inedible (MT)	737	755	235,109	276,757	78	70	25,452	24,962
Other animal fats & oils (MT)	235	244	102,479	104,962	20	33	9,702	13,657
Hides and skins, including furs (NA)	--	--	994,090	963,899	--	--	115,070	105,648
Bovine hides - whole (NO)	15,157	14,461	804,454	787,017	1,860	1,744	97,868	89,826
Other cattle hides - pieces (NA)	--	--	14,051	10,290	--	--	2,345	675
Calf skins, whole (PC)	1,252	938	20,292	13,746	138	142	2,311	1,827
Equine hides, whole (PC)	214	141	5,416	3,803	25	16	669	429
Sheep and lamb skins (PC)	3,891	2,812	26,590	19,035	337	134	2,496	1,098
Other hides & skins, ex furs (NA)	--	--	42,671	48,019	--	--	4,149	5,224
Furskins (NA)	--	--	80,617	81,989	--	--	5,231	6,568
Mink pelts (NO)	2,897	2,815	46,742	47,814	149	210	2,785	4,193
Other furskins (NA)	--	--	33,874	34,174	--	--	2,446	2,376
Wool and mohair (MT)	5	3	16,944	8,339	1	0	1,742	758
Sausage casings (MT)	13	8	27,421	27,709	1	1	2,992	2,687
Bull semen (NA)	--	--	34,718	40,998	--	--	4,046	5,059
Misc animal prods - other (NA)	--	--	136,737	136,698	--	--	15,135	12,477
Grains and feeds (MT)	76,708	81,464	10,517,189	11,033,503	7,628	6,779	1,074,952	968,965
Wheat, unmilled (MT)	26,589	27,677	3,250,753	3,680,704	2,042	2,337	274,240	309,700
Wheat flour (MT)	607	894	120,343	178,019	64	87	13,393	17,789
Bulgur wheat (MT)	7	11	1,674	2,147	1	1	112	115
Other wheat products (MT)	29	33	27,325	30,224	4	4	3,286	3,406
Rice-paddy, milled, parboiled (MT)	1,749	1,998	584,593	587,332	154	274	49,378	68,957
Feed grains and products (MT)	37,976	40,825	4,413,675	4,208,072	4,152	3,114	490,752	328,507
Feed grains (MT)	37,628	40,392	4,314,283	4,086,596	4,099	3,045	476,080	310,093
Barley (MT)	1,708	1,318	177,983	139,361	133	84	15,555	9,197
Corn (MT)	29,629	33,418	3,414,890	3,379,250	3,753	2,827	435,410	286,954
Grain sorghums (MT)	6,260	5,585	717,294	557,298	208	125	24,517	12,422
Oats (MT)	29	71	4,047	10,660	5	9	599	1,514
Rye (MT)	1	0	69	27	0	0	0	6
Feed grain products (MT)	348	432	99,393	121,476	53	69	14,671	18,414
Popcorn (MT)	82	98	43,245	56,756	8	10	4,095	5,360
Blended food products (MT)	170	227	51,423	70,713	20	14	6,168	4,657
Other grain products (MT)	815	892	480,464	580,623	80	75	49,994	60,739
Feeds & fodders, excl. oilcake (MT)	8,684	8,808	1,543,693	1,638,912	1,103	864	183,535	169,734
Corn by-products (MT)	4,654	4,678	662,703	674,158	664	448	85,824	62,617
Alfalfa meal and cubes (MT)	447	478	60,794	67,884	58	39	7,696	6,114
Beet pulp (MT)	612	559	73,109	63,982	50	47	5,753	5,542
Citrus pulp pellets (MT)	505	720	63,438	64,026	54	65	6,691	5,147
Other feeds & fodders (MT)	2,467	2,374	683,650	768,861	277	265	77,571	90,314
Fruits & preparations, ex juice (MT)	2,206	2,130	1,786,766	1,658,893	270	246	244,195	218,833
Fruits - fresh (MT)	1,874	1,799	1,535,459	1,195,919	233	214	194,970	171,651
Fruits - fresh - citrus (MT)	948	988	563,031	510,716	80	83	44,411	44,653
Grapefruit - fresh (MT)	414	404	229,020	201,799	13	20	6,853	9,138
Lemons and limes - fresh (MT)	107	105	91,037	71,531	13	9	9,891	9,115
Oranges & tangerines - fresh (MT)	426	478	242,170	236,079	54	54	27,632	26,356
Other citrus - fresh (MT)	1	1	805	1,307	0	0	35	43

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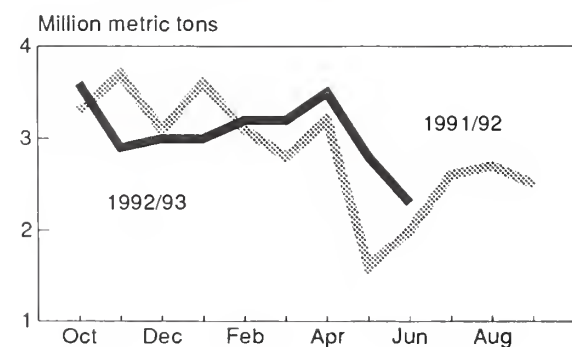
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Fruits - fresh - noncitrus (MT)	926	811	772,428	685,203	153	131	150,559	126,997
Apples, fresh (MT)	445	405	275,011	241,841	29	30	18,350	17,264
Berries, fresh	46	41	69,476	61,939	8	7	12,639	10,748
Cherries, fresh	26	17	93,334	85,778	16	9	50,302	37,523
Grapes, fresh (MT)	122	89	134,210	109,346	16	11	21,382	16,538
Melons, fresh (MT)	95	94	39,682	41,256	44	40	12,243	13,057
Peaches, fresh (MT)	32	26	29,536	26,414	17	15	15,115	12,596
Pears, fresh (MT)	96	77	55,853	46,939	2	3	1,697	2,136
Plums, fresh (MT)	23	17	19,628	17,596	14	9	11,250	9,259
Other noncitrus - fresh (MT)	41	45	55,700	54,095	6	7	7,582	7,876
Fruits - dried (MT)	168	164	249,459	249,220	16	14	23,799	24,164
Raisins - dried (MT)	87	86	124,424	123,644	9	9	12,829	13,787
Prunes - dried (MT)	70	69	100,848	103,563	6	4	8,959	8,826
Other dried fruits (MT)	11	9	24,187	22,013	1	1	2,011	1,551
Fruits - canned - excl. juice (MT)	93	91	100,201	99,404	12	9	11,296	10,511
Fruits - frozen, excl. juice (MT)	18	19	25,334	28,940	3	2	3,976	3,469
Other fruits - prep or pres (MT)	53	56	76,313	85,410	7	6	10,154	9,038
Fruit juices, including frozen (HL)	5,837	5,824	325,186	314,199	832	716	46,738	39,826
Apple juice (HL)	544	483	38,982	39,788	68	45	4,611	5,246
Grape juice (HL)	548	602	33,333	37,038	57	45	3,407	3,429
Grapefruit juice (HL)	681	678	44,235	42,789	98	99	6,249	5,981
Orange juice (HL)	3,021	3,233	156,087	153,197	462	421	24,858	19,835
Other fruit juices (HL)	1,042	827	52,548	41,386	147	107	7,613	5,335
Wine (HL)	851	867	112,631	119,912	103	91	13,605	13,078
Nuts and preparations (MT)	476	460	882,588	873,151	37	41	60,467	68,072
Almonds (shelled basis) (MT)	136	136	435,792	441,561	8	10	26,703	35,106
Filberts, hazelnuts (MT)	6	5	10,975	7,563	0	0	487	216
Peanuts, shelled or prep (MT)	227	231	162,658	165,336	24	26	16,429	17,459
Pistachios (MT)	15	21	60,688	77,127	2	1	5,634	5,412
Walnuts, shelled/unshelled (MT)	66	45	138,690	110,234	1	1	3,786	3,692
Pecans, shelled or unshelled (MT)	11	9	36,262	33,131	1	1	3,720	2,497
Other nuts, shelled or prep (MT)	15	14	37,523	38,200	1	1	3,708	3,691
Vegetables and preparations (NA)	--	--	2,173,292	2,445,490	--	--	244,477	281,968
Vegetables - fresh (MT)	1,289	1,277	685,700	784,591	193	210	82,126	97,700
Asparagus, fresh (MT)	19	20	52,732	58,317	1	2	2,568	4,138
Broccoli, fresh (MT)	79	88	48,055	58,711	7	10	5,081	6,664
Carrots, fresh (MT)	69	73	25,095	26,675	13	14	4,231	4,889
Cabbage, fresh (MT)	37	34	12,183	14,114	6	5	1,707	2,105
Celery, fresh (MT)	101	100	34,008	46,375	11	13	4,476	3,667
Cauliflower, fresh (MT)	63	58	42,181	41,479	7	7	4,844	5,009
Corn, sweet, fresh (MT)	33	24	12,771	10,681	12	9	3,873	3,500
Cucumbers, fresh (MT)	30	32	13,400	13,761	5	7	2,086	2,752
Garlic, fresh (MT)	5	7	7,814	10,070	0	1	574	904
Lettuce - fresh (MT)	259	265	106,406	130,487	26	30	9,232	10,661
Mushrooms, fresh (MT)	5	6	13,849	19,931	0	1	1,105	1,408
Onions, fresh (MT)	113	115	41,388	49,379	13	18	4,746	5,890
Peppers, fresh (MT)	71	50	38,490	40,138	7	6	4,677	4,905
Potatoes - fresh (MT)	166	160	47,297	52,150	60	60	16,092	19,385
Tomatoes - fresh (MT)	119	124	97,445	107,685	15	18	8,881	11,909
Other fresh vegetables (MT)	117	122	92,587	104,638	9	11	7,953	9,915
Vegetables - frozen (MT)	252	261	199,257	203,381	27	29	21,641	22,697
Corn, sweet, frozen (MT)	47	46	36,770	37,580	4	4	3,544	3,470
Potatoes - frozen (MT)	146	162	103,281	114,448	16	18	11,361	12,530
Other frozen vegetables (MT)	59	53	59,206	51,353	7	7	6,737	6,697
Vegetables - canned (MT)	205	257	171,225	199,372	25	29	20,395	22,714
Pulses (MT)	420	342	182,390	162,329	34	34	12,515	14,707
Dried beans (MT)	323	224	146,306	114,419	26	25	9,876	11,786
Dried peas (MT)	73	71	23,465	23,610	7	7	2,048	2,331
Dried lentils (MT)	25	48	12,619	24,300	1	1	591	590
Hops, including hop extract (MT)	10	10	85,804	100,633	1	1	8,281	5,808
Other veg - prep or pres (NA)	--	--	848,915	995,183	--	--	99,518	118,342
Oilseeds and products (MT)	22,878	25,087	5,666,165	6,045,379	1,408	1,613	387,741	415,553
Oilcake and meal (MT)	5,500	5,549	1,127,424	1,066,133	470	385	99,952	72,144
Bran, hulls, legum. veg. (MT)	333	551	33,766	49,936	42	46	3,979	3,694
Corn oilcake and meal (MT)	385	507	51,824	63,411	34	52	4,235	5,967
Soybean meal (MT)	4,627	4,310	1,021,023	926,142	374	264	84,988	58,696
Other oilcakes and meals (MT)	156	181	20,810	26,643	20	24	2,751	3,787
Oilseeds (MT)	16,205	18,274	3,830,083	4,231,681	788	1,123	200,679	277,591
Rapeseed (MT)	16	34	4,399	8,080	1	1	196	307
Safflower seed (MT)	30	25	9,259	8,614	0	0	4	3
Soybeans (MT)	15,689	17,750	3,510,237	3,940,506	742	1,072	171,775	248,882
Sunflowerseeds (MT)	85	67	44,930	46,731	6	8	3,867	4,859
Peanuts, incl oilstock (MT)	81	51	43,847	31,750	14	4	6,135	2,865
Other oilseeds (MT)	193	283	49,440	70,985	17	32	4,689	7,885
Protein substances (MT)	110	65	167,973	125,016	8	6	14,012	12,791
Vegetable oils (MT)	1,174	1,263	708,658	747,564	151	104	91,111	65,818
Soybean oil (MT)	515	519	244,251	260,155	59	34	29,053	17,677
Cottonseed oil (MT)	110	66	50,300	33,633	6	8	3,024	4,171
Sunflower oil (MT)	122	227	59,976	107,066	28	22	12,830	11,248
Corn oil (MT)	201	238	140,681	133,785	28	18	19,443	9,914
Peanut oil (MT)	56	16	34,959	9,945	10	2	5,813	1,267
Rapeseed oil (MT)	6	5	3,368	3,659	1	1	382	783
Safflower oil (MT)	21	31	17,971	29,665	4	3	3,033	2,846
Other veg oils and waxes (MT)	142	161	157,151	169,657	16	16	17,532	17,911
Tobacco - unmanufactured (MT)	202	197	1,282,471	1,215,199	21	19	136,990	137,252
Tobacco, burley (MT)	51	45	377,537	343,664	5	11	37,964	83,022
Tobacco, flue cured (MT)	112	114	762,555	755,519	12	7	83,217	46,338
Other unmanufactured tobacco (MT)	40	38	142,380	116,016	4	1	15,810	7,891

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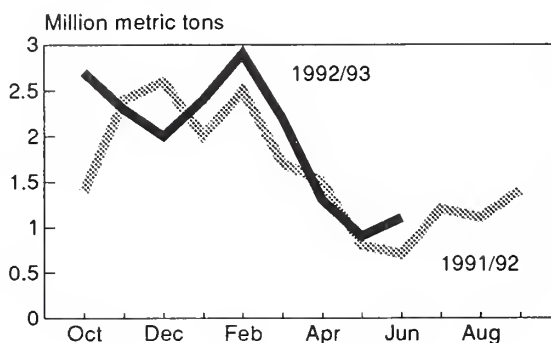
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Cotton, excluding linters (MT)	1,295	928	1,912,367	1,256,425	125	82	170,511	111,176
Cotton linters (MT)	24	28	8,388	9,066	2	4	704	1,266
Essential oils (MT)	10	10	139,348	138,927	1	1	13,865	15,518
Seeds - field and garden (MT)	458	490	519,194	547,322	11	22	20,086	20,587
Sugar and tropical products (NA)	--	--	713,646	777,804	--	--	76,429	77,914
Sugar and related products (NA)	--	--	299,418	274,881	--	--	32,607	29,124
Sugar - cane or beet (MT)	340	249	108,591	78,104	36	28	10,704	8,945
Related sugar products (NA)	--	--	190,827	196,778	--	--	21,903	20,180
Coffee, incl processed (MT)	19	25	86,483	107,800	2	3	10,644	10,663
Cocoa, incl powder and butter (MT)	15	19	35,502	40,435	2	2	3,520	3,798
Chocolate and preparations (MT)	53	69	173,149	208,699	5	6	15,684	16,034
Tea (MT)	13	18	60,998	85,036	1	2	8,076	10,371
Spices (MT)	12	15	31,463	35,971	1	2	3,099	4,139
Rubber - crude natural (MT)	11	9	22,436	22,710	1	2	2,623	3,446
Fibers, excluding cotton (MT)	7	2	4,196	2,271	0	0	177	338
Other misc. veg. products (MT)	26	25	232,153	263,151	3	3	20,276	18,359
Nursery and greenhouse products (NA)	--	--	172,645	178,107	--	--	13,835	13,289
Beverages, excluding juices (NA)	--	--	501,361	543,525	--	--	63,274	73,944
Selected non-agricultural exports (NA)	--	--	9,822,316	9,544,160	--	--	1,173,865	1,014,495
Fertilizers (NA)	--	--	2,083,056	1,418,998	--	--	264,334	145,170
Nitrogen (NA)	--	--	2,057,941	1,392,528	--	--	261,687	142,948
Phosphate (MT)	13	15	25,116	26,470	1	1	2,647	2,222
Fish and shellfish (MT)	758	1,046	2,226,430	1,973,469	88	192	261,998	242,848
Fish, fresh or prepared (MT)	427	394	1,133,709	974,910	77	64	203,927	173,499
Shellfish (MT)	144	123	787,533	746,702	7	6	40,691	38,935
Other fish products (MT)	187	529	305,188	251,856	4	122	17,379	30,414
Agricultural chemicals (MT)	187	216	975,271	1,049,004	20	19	89,293	104,656
Fungicides (MT)	20	16	145,704	94,492	2	2	10,272	11,100
Herbicides (MT)	74	101	373,192	474,140	10	8	34,458	48,771
Insecticides (MT)	50	53	229,122	252,123	4	5	22,177	26,380
Other pesticides (MT)	44	46	227,253	228,249	4	4	22,387	18,404
Farm machinery (NA)	--	--	1,601,538	1,763,881	--	--	195,799	203,561
Tractors & self-prop mach (NO)	20	22	556,537	567,997	2	2	70,579	69,727
Other ag machinery & parts (NA)	--	--	1,045,001	1,195,884	--	--	125,220	133,835
Tobacco - manufactured (NA)	--	--	2,936,021	3,338,807	--	--	362,441	318,260

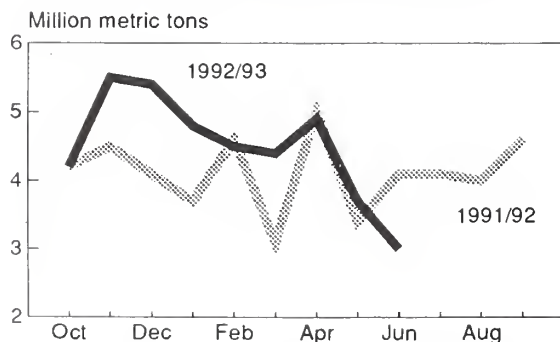
### U.S. wheat exports



### U.S. soybean exports



### U.S. coarse grain exports



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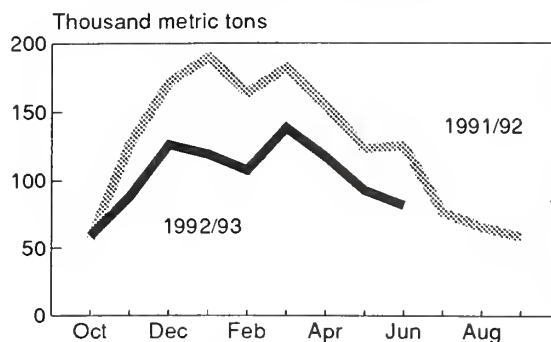


Table 2--U.S. agricultural imports: Quantity and value by commodity

Commodity and unit	October-June				June			
	Thousand units		Thousand dollars		Thousand units		Thousand dollars	
	1991/92	1992/93	1991/92	1992/93	1992	1993	1992	1993
Total agricultural imports (NA)	--	--	18,138,461	18,795,455	--	--	2,108,894	2,049,916
Noncompetitive agr. imports (NA)	--	--	4,449,255	4,208,960	--	--	466,754	437,814
Bananas and plantains (MT)	2,748	2,790	824,705	816,252	333	307	100,351	93,088
Coffee, including products (MT)	1,015	927	1,436,740	1,163,018	110	78	138,321	101,408
Cocoa and products (MT)	595	577	868,909	771,222	60	61	82,242	77,459
Tea and mate' (MT)	99	111	129,175	141,033	14	9	15,861	14,541
Spices (MT)	95	98	201,428	201,017	8	9	17,407	22,124
Rubber & allied gums-crude (MT)	684	747	554,416	643,797	76	83	63,280	71,613
Silk - raw (MT)	0	0	4,713	3,829	0	0	976	369
Wool, unmanufactured-carpet (MT)	10	10	21,125	23,451	1	1	2,287	3,129
Fibers, excluding cotton (MT)	62	60	30,725	32,073	5	6	2,692	3,069
Essential oils (MT)	24	25	141,917	155,552	2	2	16,185	20,626
Drugs - crude - natural (MT)	54	42	235,403	257,716	6	3	27,152	30,386
Competitive agricult imports (NA)	--	--	13,689,206	14,586,496	--	--	1,642,140	1,612,102
Animals and animal products (NA)	--	--	4,222,325	4,474,408	--	--	498,192	515,445
Animals-live, excl. poultry (NO)	2,196	2,788	994,537	1,240,804	196	282	95,952	137,638
Cattle - live (NO)	1,627	2,109	886,928	1,116,088	131	200	86,155	124,808
Horses & mules - live (NO)	11	18	54,697	52,848	1	3	2,987	3,163
Swine - live (NO)	538	631	51,558	60,309	63	77	6,653	7,471
Sheep - live (NO)	20	24	1,316	2,139	2	0	150	50
Other live animals (NO)	0	6	38	9,420	0	2	6	2,146
Meats & prods exc. poultry (MT)	860	836	2,045,175	1,995,761	111	93	256,646	230,210
Beef and veal (MT)	616	591	1,480,794	1,398,374	84	66	193,127	166,254
Beef & veal-fresh/frozen (MT)	561	535	1,305,960	1,221,902	78	59	173,874	142,741
Beef & veal-prep or pres (MT)	55	56	174,834	176,472	6	8	19,253	23,513
Pork (MT)	199	202	468,429	491,414	21	21	50,995	49,765
Pork - fresh or frozen (MT)	145	141	280,618	293,755	16	15	33,002	31,867
Pork-prepared, preservd (MT)	54	61	187,811	197,659	5	6	17,993	17,898
Mutton, goat, & lamb (MT)	19	17	36,146	42,761	2	2	4,726	6,207
Variety meats-fresh/froz (MT)	15	16	24,248	28,239	2	2	3,190	4,330
Other meats-fresh or froz(MT)	1	1	8,583	9,940	0	0	764	1,295
Other meats & products (MT)	9	8	26,975	25,032	1	1	3,845	2,359
Poultry and products (NA)	--	--	99,424	102,721	--	--	9,552	12,304
Poultry - live (NA)	--	--	11,785	11,131	--	--	1,480	1,442
Poultry meat (MT)	3	3	12,878	10,241	0	0	1,216	824
Eggs (NA)	--	--	16,109	27,771	--	--	2,512	3,691
Feathers & downs - crude (MT)	12	12	58,653	53,578	1	1	4,345	6,346
Dairy products (NA)	--	--	577,862	639,180	--	--	81,313	81,293
Milk & cream, fres/dried (MT)	6	6	5,763	7,156	0	1	423	788
Butter & butterfat mixt (MT)	1	1	1,513	2,383	0	0	149	125
Cheese (MT)	99	104	316,078	344,468	12	11	37,209	37,421
Casein & mixtures (MT)	64	60	233,987	245,334	10	9	38,924	37,236
Other dairy products (NA)	--	--	20,521	39,839	--	--	4,608	5,723
Fats, oils, & greases (MT)	33	32	18,891	22,811	5	5	2,466	2,951
Hides & skins, incl furs (NA)	--	--	148,172	150,145	--	--	15,043	17,325
Sheep & lamb skins (MT)	4	4	16,043	16,167	1	0	2,072	989
Oth hides & skins ex fur (NA)	--	--	81,318	81,187	--	--	8,483	8,670
Fur pelts (NA)	--	--	50,811	52,790	--	--	4,488	7,666
Wool-unmfg, apparel grades (MT)	35	37	116,496	116,715	3	4	9,699	11,046
Sausage casings (MT)	11	11	43,460	42,731	1	1	5,780	5,342
Bull semen (NA)	--	--	2,810	3,692	--	--	136	448
Misc animal products (NA)	--	--	175,500	159,850	--	--	21,604	16,888
Grains, products, & feeds (MT)	4,112	3,544	1,120,474	1,188,105	509	423	135,809	135,518
Wheat, excluding seed (MT)	819	1,037	104,814	118,912	122	70	16,398	8,284
Corn, unmilled (MT)	397	97	40,076	8,644	35	17	3,577	1,455
Oats, unmilled (MT)	954	783	88,339	77,183	126	140	12,382	11,999
Barley, unmilled (MT)	407	114	39,198	11,337	47	21	4,454	2,045
Rice (MT)	125	148	61,436	82,585	15	16	7,736	8,648
Biscuits & wafers (MT)	115	127	269,464	302,549	12	15	27,771	33,009
Pasta & noodles (MT)	120	134	123,024	128,671	16	17	15,362	16,688
Other grains & preps (NA)	--	--	187,773	251,968	--	--	23,152	30,261
Feeds & fodders ex oilcake (MT)	877	711	206,352	206,257	104	83	24,976	23,129
Fruits & preparations (MT)	1,834	1,829	1,206,889	1,166,881	157	158	144,613	115,191
Fruits - fresh or frozen (MT)	1,372	1,400	787,086	789,834	113	109	105,020	73,246
Apples, fresh (MT)	123	100	75,171	59,375	18	19	13,553	15,858
Avocados (MT)	16	17	16,333	12,070	0	0	173	96
Berries, excl strawberries (MT)	29	23	30,314	23,128	2	1	3,076	1,014
Citrus, fresh (MT)	104	113	36,022	44,357	7	12	1,215	2,165
Grapes, fresh (MT)	310	325	255,026	261,428	24	16	51,369	20,684
Kiwi fruit, fresh (MT)	17	19	14,983	11,309	3	3	2,432	1,830
Mangoes (MT)	47	76	47,078	61,733	14	23	14,479	15,465
Melons (MT)	429	425	134,097	129,072	18	12	3,702	3,099
Peaches (MT)	54	41	34,049	26,245	0	0	0	0
Pears (MT)	59	64	31,869	31,446	7	5	3,759	1,771
Pineapples (MT)	99	96	36,206	38,216	13	11	4,831	4,495
Plums (MT)	24	24	14,892	14,945	0	0	0	0
Strawberries fresh o/froz (MT)	33	38	31,537	41,319	3	4	2,671	2,719
Fruits - prep or pres (MT)	462	429	419,804	377,047	44	48	39,593	41,945
Pineapples-canned or prep (MT)	268	257	180,006	161,978	27	30	17,996	17,592
Other fruits-prep or pres (MT)	195	172	239,797	215,069	17	19	21,598	24,353
Fruit juices, incl frozen (HL)	20,023	18,442	684,819	451,086	2,102	2,220	76,597	45,962
Apple juice (HL)	6,527	5,885	250,555	167,874	1,015	925	39,300	20,718
Grape juice (HL)	902	1,109	32,037	40,178	214	83	8,189	3,108
Grapefruit juice (HL)	161	81	4,287	2,667	9	1	270	76
Lemon juice (HL)	312	360	6,535	6,315	44	114	880	1,963
Lime juice (HL)	72	72	2,139	1,838	0	13	16	341
Orange juice (HL)	8,427	7,454	255,212	121,885	464	707	13,612	8,116
Pineapple juice (HL)	2,870	2,538	75,906	59,019	282	261	7,464	5,577
Other fruit juice (HL)	751	904	58,148	49,597	75	113	6,866	5,860

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Commodity and unit	October-June				June			
	Thousand units		Thousand dollars		Thousand units		Thousand dollars	
	1991/92	1992/93	1991/92	1992/93	1992	1993	1992	1993
Nuts & preparations (MT)	117	142	310,875	380,876	11	13	27,532	35,283
Brazil nuts (MT)	5	7	8,319	9,468	0	0	676	746
Cashew nuts (MT)	39	48	178,944	192,168	4	5	18,040	18,577
Chestnuts (MT)	4	4	10,544	8,811	0	0	71	35
Coconut meat (MT)	36	35	34,077	33,159	4	4	3,988	3,601
Filberts (MT)	3	4	7,206	9,519	0	0	541	892
Macademia nuts (MT)	1	1	6,489	9,839	0	0	577	509
Pecans (MT)	12	18	37,335	74,517	0	1	963	4,882
Pistachio nuts (MT)	0	0	584	792	0	0	2	133
Other nuts (MT)	18	26	27,378	42,605	2	3	2,673	5,907
Vegetables & preparations (NA)	--	--	1,700,923	1,997,254	--	--	160,941	175,950
Vegetables-fresh or frozen (MT)	1,360	1,838	840,412	1,145,536	86	100	57,936	78,069
Tomatoes (MT)	176	335	121,903	279,668	13	17	6,720	19,044
Asparagus (MT)	22	25	31,400	36,282	0	1	392	1,069
Beans (MT)	12	16	13,090	18,068	0	0	322	395
Cabbage (MT)	18	20	4,164	4,730	0	1	79	326
Carrots (MT)	55	43	16,202	13,387	1	1	434	293
Cauliflower & broccoli (MT)	154	175	101,535	114,039	11	11	7,790	7,337
Celery, fresh (MT)	10	13	2,788	4,964	0	0	6	3
Cucumbers (MT)	166	231	66,173	81,185	5	6	3,078	3,550
Eggplant (MT)	17	19	12,033	11,621	0	0	49	100
Endive, fresh (MT)	3	2	6,506	5,289	0	0	490	260
Garlic (MT)	13	14	14,053	14,462	4	3	3,438	3,181
Lettuce (MT)	6	11	3,329	4,343	0	0	84	88
Okra (MT)	13	9	5,785	4,334	5	3	1,669	1,108
Onions (MT)	178	197	97,994	91,042	7	9	6,303	5,933
Peas, incl chickpeas (MT)	29	26	27,222	21,873	2	3	2,426	3,722
Peppers (MT)	102	139	117,607	155,631	4	5	8,927	10,041
Potatoes (MT)	147	304	49,183	87,438	17	24	6,437	9,040
Radishes (MT)	12	14	6,343	8,199	0	0	3	54
Squash (MT)	81	92	44,002	85,897	1	3	401	3,225
Other vgs-fresh or froz (MT)	146	153	99,101	103,084	13	14	8,887	9,297
Vegetables-prep or preserv (NA)	--	--	860,511	851,718	--	--	103,006	97,881
Bamboo shoots, preserved (MT)	24	22	24,775	19,606	1	2	1,150	2,180
Bean cake, miso (MT)	6	7	9,817	11,880	1	1	996	1,819
Cucumbers, preserved (MT)	6	7	4,441	4,942	0	0	267	283
Garlic, dried (MT)	3	3	3,080	3,223	0	0	324	542
Olives - prep or pres (MT)	54	55	114,788	118,844	7	6	15,654	13,231
Mushrooms, canned (MT)	39	37	91,203	78,553	5	3	10,313	6,651
Mushrooms, dried (MT)	3	1	15,240	17,976	0	0	2,152	2,203
Onions, preserved (MT)	3	4	3,801	5,551	0	1	503	822
Hops, incl extract (MT)	8	4	38,726	23,087	0	0	1,222	1,648
Artichokes - prepared (MT)	12	13	18,479	21,381	2	4	3,376	6,403
Asparagus - prepared (MT)	1	1	1,496	1,509	0	0	136	295
Tomatoes inc paste & sauce (MT)	53	77	46,722	60,318	10	5	7,470	4,326
Waterchestnuts (MT)	25	27	19,307	18,531	3	4	2,216	3,281
Beans & peas, dried (MT)	33	27	20,828	17,097	3	3	1,838	2,195
Mustard (MT)	6	6	7,921	7,579	1	1	956	790
Peppers & pimentos, prep (MT)	8	11	12,448	13,173	1	1	918	877
Soy sauce (MT)	22	26	19,387	23,575	2	4	2,144	2,905
Starches, excl wheat & corn (MT)	50	50	20,168	19,091	11	6	4,519	2,069
Soups & sauces (MT)	44	50	86,642	103,018	6	7	11,704	13,462
Vinegar (HL)	104	106	14,019	14,400	15	13	1,918	1,694
Yeasts (MT)	21	23	26,048	28,141	3	3	3,539	2,974
Oth vegetables-prep/pres (NA)	--	--	261,174	240,244	--	--	29,690	27,231
Sugar and related products (NA)	--	--	763,446	784,026	--	--	94,734	99,808
Sugar - cane & beet (MT)	1,086	1,199	417,264	440,969	140	177	57,158	60,630
Molasses - inedible (MT)	6,208	6,341	55,574	47,346	508	750	4,753	4,706
Confectionery products (MT)	87	91	182,014	185,993	10	11	21,207	21,982
Oth sugar & related prods (MT)	241	252	108,594	109,718	27	27	11,615	12,489
Spices (MT)	19	19	40,045	34,657	3	2	6,698	4,182
Tobacco - unmanufactured (MT)	184	317	586,311	950,871	35	44	106,436	144,417
Tobacco - filler (MT)	155	240	562,865	903,170	29	38	102,520	140,252
Tobacco - scrap (MT)	28	75	14,170	40,356	6	6	3,435	2,744
Other tobacco (MT)	1	1	9,275	7,346	0	0	482	1,422
Beverages, ex fruit juices (HL)	9,937	10,086	1,487,950	1,467,719	1,420	1,428	218,856	189,251
Wine (HL)	1,915	1,829	789,061	750,150	292	222	121,803	85,198
Malt beverages (HL)	6,954	7,360	616,461	646,754	986	1,075	86,431	92,506
Other beverages (HL)	1,069	897	82,429	70,815	142	132	10,623	11,547
Oilseeds & products (MT)	1,721	1,836	814,121	915,708	225	181	110,508	87,116
Oilseeds & oilnuts (MT)	317	289	99,866	99,929	54	33	14,299	10,098
Flaxseed (MT)	94	89	14,277	18,117	27	17	4,119	3,349
Mustard seeds (MT)	39	39	11,041	10,341	8	5	1,945	1,357
Rapeseed (MT)	1	12	363	2,959	0	0	48	28
Sesameseed (MT)	29	28	35,007	28,060	3	3	3,566	2,704
Soybeans (MT)	83	54	18,274	11,323	6	1	1,451	142
Sunflower seeds (MT)	56	41	11,899	10,051	9	3	1,796	883
Other oilseeds & oilnuts (MT)	15	27	9,004	19,079	2	2	1,374	1,635
Oils & waxes-vegetable (MT)	923	1,128	649,878	755,108	124	97	89,651	69,754
Castor oil (MT)	33	30	15,798	17,531	1	6	370	3,544
Coconut oil (MT)	273	420	145,386	187,733	42	19	25,902	7,702
Cottonseed oil (MT)	0	15	37	6,699	0	8	0	3,750
Olive oil (MT)	78	93	180,895	188,227	10	10	23,730	18,820
Palm oil (MT)	75	76	25,973	29,783	13	10	4,951	4,115
Palm kernel oil (MT)	110	105	54,491	61,637	7	3	4,485	1,414
Peanut oil (MT)	0	0	390	252	0	0	49	7
Rapeseed oil (MT)	283	291	132,318	141,596	43	29	19,921	14,610
Sesame oil (MT)	5	5	13,473	13,033	0	0	1,253	1,248
Other oils & waxes-veg. (MT)	66	93	81,067	108,343	8	12	8,984	14,534

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Commodity and unit	October-June				June			
	Thousand units		Thousand dollars		Thousand units		Thousand dollars	
	1991/92	1992/93	1991/92	1992/93	1992	1993	1992	1993
Oilcake & meal (MT)	482	419	64,377	60,671	46	52	6,558	7,265
Cotton, excluding lintners (MT)	1	0	565	235	0	0	29	30
Cotton lintners (MT)	7	9	6,617	8,457	1	1	741	1,068
Seeds - field & garden (MT)	153	171	171,089	174,521	6	5	14,946	15,168
Cut flowers (NA)	--	--	267,662	289,704	--	--	21,294	24,825
Nursery stock, bulbs, etc. (NA)	--	--	170,755	187,425	--	--	8,126	9,438
Other vegetable products (MT)	26	25	134,338	114,561	3	3	16,087	13,451
Selected non-agric. imports (NA)	--	--	7,603,224	8,076,782	--	--	831,395	918,776
Fertilizers (MT)	14,707	14,876	1,138,533	1,208,903	1,011	1,056	78,455	80,383
Potassium (MT)	6,227	5,552	452,597	446,564	222	228	19,147	19,128
Nitrogen (MT)	4,195	5,104	470,180	600,509	353	413	38,386	48,182
Phosphate (MT)	4,284	4,218	214,366	160,628	435	415	20,749	13,033
Fish and shellfish (MT)	1,007	1,070	4,127,588	4,242,006	118	162	511,460	532,983
Fish - fresh or prepared (MT)	687	629	1,949,111	1,823,464	69	85	206,409	216,864
Shellfish (MT)	281	303	2,145,887	2,352,416	38	40	298,636	303,219
Fish products, other (MT)	39	137	32,590	66,126	10	38	6,415	12,900
Agricultural chemicals (MT)	79	87	506,760	543,364	8	9	40,937	43,558
Fungicides (MT)	19	27	57,437	67,198	3	3	7,352	6,209
Herbicides (MT)	23	19	152,261	162,957	2	2	8,033	7,191
Insecticides (MT)	5	5	41,597	35,904	1	1	5,452	4,272
Other pesticides (MT)	32	36	255,465	277,306	3	3	20,100	25,886
Farm machinery (NA)	--	--	1,630,027	1,780,271	--	--	179,919	213,526
Tractors & self-prop mach (NO)	1,077	1,643	797,858	901,082	106	184	88,674	103,168
Other ag mach & parts (NA)	--	--	832,169	879,188	--	--	91,246	110,358
Tobacco - manufactured (NA)	--	--	200,316	302,238	--	--	20,623	48,326

Preliminary data. NA = Not available. Zeroes in quantity columns represent none or less than 500 units.

Table 3--U.S. agricultural trade summary (\$ Million)

Item	Apr	May	Jun	Year to date	Chng. fm. prev. yr.
					Percent
Agricultural exports	3,631	3,366	3,147	33,345	2.0
Imports (c.i.f.)	2,335	2,310	2,225	20,438	5.2
Imports (Customs val.)	2,131	2,121	2,050	18,795	3.6
Trade Balance:					
Exports minus cif imports	1,295	1,057	922	12,906	-2.7
Exports minus Customs valued imports	1,499	1,245	1,097	14,549	-0.1
Preliminary data.					

Table 5--U.S. agricultural exports (\$ Million)

Commodity group	Apr	May	Jun	Year to date	Chng. fm. prev. yr.
					Percent
Total	3,631	3,366	3,147	33,345	2.0
Live animals	30	35	34	385	-29.3
Meat & poultry	343	393	410	3,253	6.4
Dairy prod & eggs	71	75	59	690	22.9
Animal fats	47	38	40	406	12.1
Hides & skins	108	115	106	964	-3.0
Wheat	469	376	310	3,681	13.2
Rice	69	62	69	587	0.5
Corn	401	324	287	3,379	-1.0
Other feed grains	108	57	23	707	-21.4
Animal feeds	280	288	242	2,705	1.3
Soybeans	302	220	249	3,941	12.3
Vegetable oils	66	89	66	748	5.5
Fruits & nuts	290	345	327	2,846	-5.0
Vegetables	302	302	282	2,445	12.5
Cotton & lintners	157	126	112	1,265	-34.1
Tobacco, unmg.	139	117	137	1,215	-5.2
Seeds, nursery	87	50	34	725	4.9
Preliminary data.					

Table 4--Fresh vegetable imports

Selected commodities	FY 1991	FY 1992	1992 Oct-Jun	1993 Oct-Jun	1993/92 Oct-Jun
			1,000 tons		percent
Fresh vegetables	1,832	1,612	1,360	1,838	35.2
Mexico	1,199	1,041	926	1,255	35.5
Tomatoes	354	203	166	323	94.7
Broccoli	137	173	143	163	13.4
Cucumbers	162	151	144	207	44.5
Onions	179	152	142	181	27.0
Peppers	120	108	95	127	34.4
Canada	454	347	260	391	50.3
Potatoes	311	183	147	303	106.9
Carrots	43	49	38	31	-19.8
Cabbage	15	12	9	13	43.4

Source: Foreign Agricultural Trade of the United States.

Table 6--U.S. agricultural imports (\$ Million, Customs value)

Commodity group	Apr	May	Jun	Year to date	Chng. fm. prev. yr.
					Percent
Total	2,131	2,121	2,050	18,795	3.6
Live animals	149	123	139	1,252	24.4
Meat & poultry	215	222	231	2,006	-2.5
Dairy prod & eggs	68	76	85	667	12.3
Grains & feeds	143	140	143	1,249	5.4
Fruits & nuts	320	337	290	2,815	-7.0
Vegetables	239	213	176	1,997	17.4
Vegetable oils	76	76	70	755	16.2
Wine	83	90	85	750	-4.9
Malt beverages	73	81	93	647	4.9
Coffee	115	121	101	1,163	-19.1
Cocoa	73	73	77	771	-11.2
Rubber, natural	77	68	72	644	16.1
Sugar-cane & beet	64	51	61	441	5.7
Tobacco, unmg.	113	165	144	951	62.2
Seeds, flowers	90	68	49	652	6.9
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